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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on May 29, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendements to the Claims appear in the listing of the Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.